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For: COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS FOR TARGETED DRUG DELIVERY

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

Mail Stop AMENDMENT  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the office action, dated APRIL 7, 2008, relating to the above captioned patent application, please consider the following amendments and the accompanying remarks.

**Amendments to the claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.